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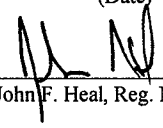
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 43 (forty-three) references to be considered by the Examiner. Also enclosed are 9 (nine) foreign patent references and/or non-patent literature as listed on the Information Disclosure Statement.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date, with an RCE or before receipt of a first office action after an RCE and no fee is required.

Applicant would like to draw the Examiner's attention to certain of Applicant's copending applications, specifically Application Nos. 10/078,283 and 10/743,841, and Patent No. 7,048,680. Applicant directs the Examiner to these applications to consider whether these applications, the subject matter claimed in these applications and patents, and their associated file histories, may bear on the patentability of the present application. Applicant specifically notes the December 31, 2002, October 3, 2003, March 9, 2004, September 21, 2004, and the January 13, 2005 Office Actions mailed in Patent No. 7,048,680, and the April 1, 2004, June 29, 2005, and the August 9, 2006 Office Actions mailed in U.S. Application No. 10/078,283, as well as the February 1, 2007 Office Action mailed in U.S. Application No. 10/743,841. However, the Examiner may wish to review the entire file histories of the aforementioned applications and patents. Applicant believes that the Examiner has access to the aforementioned applications,

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patents and associated file history through the Patent Office (e.g., the IFW system). Accordingly, Applicant has not provided a copy of these documents, but would be happy to do so, now or in the future, should the Examiner so request.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials	Cite No.	Document Number Number - Kind Code (if known) Example: 1,234,567 B1	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1	U.S. Application No. 10/078,283 (Publication No. 2002-0188167), including its associated file history.	12-12-2002	Viole et al.	
	2	U.S. Application No. 10/743,841, including its associated file history.	n/a	Viole et al.	
	3	U.S. Patent No. 7,048,680, including its associated file history.	05-23-2006	Viole et al.	
	4	3,410,263	11-12-1968	McGinnis	
	5	3,938,530	02-17-1976	Santomieri	
	6	4,375,941	03-08-1983	Child	
	7	4,985,014	01-15-1991	Orejola	
	8	5,014,715	05-14-1991	Chapolini	
	9	5,186,713	02-16-1993	Raible	
	10	5,533,957	07-09-1996	Aldea	
	11	5,536,250	07-16-1996	Klein et al.	
	12	5,618,267	04-08-1997	Palestrant	
	13	5,722,930	03-03-1998	Larson et al.	
	14	5,795,326	08-18-1998	Siman	
	15	6,135,981	10-24-2000	Dyke	
	16	6,167,765	01-02-2001	Weitzel	
	17	6,508,777	01-21-2002	Macoviak et al.	
	18	6,592,567	07-15-2003	Levin et al.	
	19	6,889,082	05-03-2005	Bolling, et al. (FORFLOW.001CP6)	
	20	7,048,680	05-23-2006	Viole, et al. (FORFLOW.008A)	
	21	7,125,376	10-24-2006	Viole, et al. (FORFLOW.1CP4C1)	
	22	2002/0111577	08-15-2002	Sirimanne, et al.	
	23	2002/0188167	12-12-2002	Viole et al. (FORFLOW.008CP1)	
	24	2003/0083617	05-01-2003	St. Germain, et al.	
	25	2003/0144628	07-03-2003	Sirimanne	

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	26	2004/0116768	06-17-2004	Bolling, et al. (FORFLOW.1CP6C1)	
	27	2004/0236172	11-25-2004	Bolling, et al. (FORFLOW.1CP6C2)	
	28	2005/0085683	04-21-2005	Bolling, et al. (ORQIS.014A)	
	29	2005/0256363	11-17-2005	Bolling, et al. (FORFLOW.1CP6C3)	
	30	2005/0277804	12-15-2005	Pecor (ORQIS.010A)	
	31	2005/0277870	12-15-2005	Pecor (ORQIS.019A)	
	32	2006/0270892 A1	11-30-2006	Bolling et al. (FORFLOW.1CP6C6)	
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
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	35	GB 2174151	10-29-1986	Great Britain		
	36	JP 08257001	10-08-1996	Mohl et al.		✓ -abstract only
	37	WO 02/064204	08-22-2002	Orqis Medical Corp.		

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials	Cite No.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ¹
	38	PCT International Search Report dated 6/27/2000, App. No. PCT/US 00/06749, 4 pp., Our Reference FORFLOW.001HPC	
	39	PCT International Search Report dated 08/06/2002, App. No. PCT/US 01/42774, 6pp., Our Reference FORFLOW.008VPC	
	40	PCT International Search Report dated 6/18/2003, App. No. PCT/US 03/04401, 4 pp., Our Reference FORFLOW.008QPC	
	41	PCT International Preliminary Examination Report dated 9/29/2003, App. No. PCT/US 01/42774, Our Reference FORFLOW.008VPC	
	42	PCT International Search Report dated 11/10/03; App. No. PCT/US 03/04401, 9 pp., Our Reference FORFLOW.008QPC	
	43	European Patent Office-Office Action dated 04/11/2005; European Application No. 01 983 207.0 - 2310, Our Reference FORFLOW.008VEP	

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